



New Secretary Sits in New Office

Mrs. Pat Wood, the new secretary, is pictured above working in the new office which was fashioned from classrooms 201 and 203 during the summer.

From Blackwell, Oklahoma, Mrs. Wood held business positions in local industries before coming to the College. She says she likes working here more than at any prior job, because she enjoys working with students.

Avid football fans, Mrs. Wood and her husband, W. R. (Roy), attended nearly all the Lions' games last fall. They also enjoy league bowling and water skiing.

Mrs. Wood fills the vacancy left by Mrs. Shirley Wilson, who moved to Baxter Springs, Kansas, where her husband teaches. Miss Kathy Black has taken on some

of the responsibilities of Shirley's position.

The new offices are complete with air conditioning and wood paneling. The former offices will be used as offices for the English teachers and as classrooms.

Built upon the advice of the North Central Association, a new fire-proof vault now holds all school records. Authorized personnel gain entrance to the vault from a hallway between the offices of the Dean and the Registrar.

A small sign inside the vault door explains that the door can always be unlocked from inside. (The story goes that Milton Brietzke found the instructions reassuring and comforting while, locked in, he awaited the rescue party.)

Thespians List Three Firsts; Musical Tryouts to Begin Oct. 1

Director Milton Brietzke announces that the College drama department will produce three firsts this year. The firsts include a musical comedy, an Easter production, and a Greek play. Instructor Russell Benzamin will serve as musical director for the comedy "Good News" and plans to organize a band.

Tryouts for Lawrence Schwab and Billy Desylva's musical comedy, apparently the first ever produced at the College, will take place October 1, 2, and 3 in the Little Theater. The 23-member cast contains parts for 12 men and 11 women, in addition to several baton twirlers, a drum major, and a bass drum player.

The plot centers around a mythical Midwestern college, Tait, during the late 20's in the football season. Tom Marlow, the gridiron hero, must pass his exams before he can play in the big game of the season. Tom's girl, Pat Bingham, uses her influence to persuade him to study harder. When Pat's cousin, Connie Lane, tutors Tom, complications arise. Bobby Randall and his girl friend, Babe O'Day, are comedy leads.

The main dancing chorus consists of three women and three men. The musical features such tunes as "The Best Things in Life Are Free," "Just Imagine," and "The Varsity Drag."

Emphasizing that he requires no previous acting experience, Brietzke urges all students interested in singing, dancing, or reading to try out. Copies of the script are available in the library on overnight reserve.

Temporary production dates are December 3-8. For the first time, the drama department will run a play for six nights.

The other two firsts include P. W. Turner's "Christ in a Concrete City" produced for the Easter holidays and the Robinson-Jeffers version of "Medea." Nancy Atteberry and Diane Gullette, sophomores, will direct the Easter play.

Read Daily Bulletins

Keep informed on the daily activities of the College. Each morning announcements appear on the main bulletin board on the second floor and throughout the building.

The second period Dr. Leon Billingsly reads the announcements. The Dean emphasizes that "No announcements will be read unless they are turned into the office by 5 o'clock the previous evening."

Anyone wishing to make an announcement should give the information in legible writing to Miss Kathy Black.

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No. 1

Enrollment Continues Increase This Week

An enrollment of 750 attending day classes and 300 in night sessions is expected by Dean Leon Billingsly and James Maupin, director of night classes. Because enrollment has continued this week, no definite figure is available at press time, but over 645 day students and 210 night students enrolled last Thursday and Friday. The enrollment anticipated would be an increase over last fall's 670 in day school and 175 in night school.

Tonight at 9 o'clock is the deadline for night enrollment and Monday, September 17, will end it for day classes. Also, all changing of courses must be done in the Dean's office by today.

School Organizations To Present Assembly Next Wednesday

Clubs and organizations will present their Orientation Assembly in the auditorium Wednesday, September 19. Consisting mostly of skits produced by each of the groups, the program will introduce to new or recently interested students the purposes of the clubs and in some cases promote new memberships.

Phi Theta Kappa Plans Regional Convention

The College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa will host a one-day regional convention on November 19 in this building. Mu Chapter located in Miami, Oklahoma, will co-sponsor the event.

Carlos Moore, president of the national honorary arts and science fraternity, will attend the session. Mrs. Margaret Mosal, executive secretary, will also be here.

The Dean's Greeting

"It is a pleasure to welcome all students back for another year at Joplin Junior College, along with all new students. I realize that all of us have experienced a very enjoyable summer, either working or doing some of the things that we could not find time for during the regular school year.

"Many changes and improvements have been made in the Junior College this year to facilitate the handling of student records, enrollment, etc. These improvements no doubt will cause a little frustration to some of our students, but progress is necessary with the growth of our student body.

"I would like to remind each student that his academic record at Joplin Junior College will play a very important part in his future. We want each student to feel a part of Joplin Junior College and to participate in activities, but we also want him to realize that his academic progress comes first.

"Let's all work and strive together to make 1962-63 the most enjoyable and most profitable school year we have experienced." Leon C. Billingsly

Come to Open House Sunday Afternoon!

Joplin Junior College cordially invites parents and friends to attend open house Sunday afternoon from 2 o'clock to 4.

The event, sponsored by the Student National Education Association, will provide an opportunity for friends of the College to become better acquainted with the faculty. It also will allow guests to note improvements made in the building during the summer.

Be sure to come and enjoy a friendly get-together.

Students to Elect Officials Sept. 26

Freshmen and sophomores will hold their first class meetings on September 26 to elect class officers and nominate candidates for the Student Senate for the coming year. Freshmen will meet in the auditorium and sophomores in the Little Theater.

Each class will first elect a president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, and parliamentarian. Introductory speeches for presidential nominees should not exceed two minutes. Speeches for other candidates should not exceed one minute.

Each class may nominate twice the number of senators determined by Dean Leon C. Billingsly beforehand. During the final elections Friday, September 28, students will vote for the number of senators allotted their own classes. Polls, located only in the Main Hall at the entrance to the auditorium, will open at 8 a.m. and close at 1 p.m.

Frank Woodbury, chairman of the Elections Committee, emphasizes that in order to be eligible for an office in the Senate a student must have an "M" average and must maintain it. He must also be able to attend weekly meetings during the sixth period on Friday. The chairman points out that Senate and class offices are not offices of popularity but of hard work. He urges every voter to support only capable candidates who are willing to work hard.

Tri-Betas Slate Annual Rush Tea

Beta Beta Beta sorority is issuing invitations for their annual rush tea to be held Sunday afternoon, September 23, in the Little Theater.

Five New Teachers Look Over Their First Mail



Russell Benzamin

Tommy Holman

Lewis McMillan

James Lovern

Larry Dunham

Records Tell Much

The installation this summer of a new fireproof vault for the keeping of College records impresses upon the minds of sophomores in particular the importance of daily performance. As most returning students already realize, and all new students will quickly discover, more is recorded about an individual than the ever vital grades.

Attitudes and character traits are rated and set down in black and white by each teacher each semester! These character observations are often the determining factors when one is being considered for employment, admission to other institutions, or perhaps scholarships. Thus, "courtesy, promptness, dependability, neatness, initiative, and cooperation" displayed each day will be very important in the future, as well as necessary for quick adjustment and enjoyable relationships in college.

— H. C.

Six Instructors Travel and Study

During the past summer several members of the faculty traveled outside the United States or studied. Two visited Europe, two visited Canada, and two studied.

Two Junior College teachers who traveled through European countries this summer speak of educational values gained through the experiences, as well as pleasure values. Harry C. Gockel and his wife spent seven weeks in the Scandinavian countries and Great Britain. Miss Martha McCormick visited the continent, England, and Scotland.

"Visiting these countries makes a person appreciate the United States more when he gets home and is able to take a look at his country objectively, rather than subjectively," history instructor Gockel thinks. "A greater understanding of problems of the world and people is acquired, and a greater appreciation of the history of the world is better understood."

The teacher added: "It's an interesting fact that in the Scandinavian countries there is free schooling from the first grade through the universities. However, the student must be scholastically able before he is admitted to the university."

A particularly thrilling part of the Gockel's English tour was the village of Sulgrave Manor, the ancestral home of George Washington. But historical London with its British Museum of original letters, documents, and manuscripts was "paradise."

The couple spent the last week driving through the Emerald Isle.

"Although my trip was mainly one for pleasure, I found most things in the countries I visited fascinating as well as educational," commented Miss McCormick.

"The most unusual thing that occurred during the trip," said the mathematics instructor, "happened on the airplane with the change of time. Dinner was served soon after we boarded. Some hours later we ate breakfast. But when we landed in Scotland, another meal was waiting for us. We had eaten three meals from 9:30 until 2:30!"

"Most impressive to me was the beautiful flowers, which decorated bridges, places of business, the roads, and almost anywhere you

looked," she stated.

Miss McCormick said that the most interesting building she visited was the City Hall in Stockholm, Sweden, home of the Nobel Prize. "The most memorable was the Gold Room with its beautiful mosaic and candles."

"I think if I were to take European history now, I would enjoy it more because of the greater educational understanding I have because of my trip," Miss McCormick concluded.

Two Visit Canada

Two J.J.C. instructors visited Canada during the past summer. Milton Brietzke and his wife spent time in that country. Miss Vera Steinger toured Canada and Alaska for nearly 20 days, traveling by inland passage from Vancouver.

Highlights of the business instructor's trip include: cruising for eight days to Prince Rupert Island, British Columbia, traveling via a narrow gauge railroad to Cowcross where she saw the Yukon, observing the Mendenhall Glacier, and viewing the beautiful Bucharth Gardens.

Two Study

Study is not for college students alone, according to Harrison Kash and Wayne Gilbert, who spent eight weeks of their vacations studying under grants from the National Science Foundation.

At Kansas State College at Fort Hays, Kash heard visiting lecturers, including Calvin Vanderwerf and a noted Swedish chemist. The group also took a field trip to Frontier Chemical Company in Wichita, Kansas.

The chemistry instructor points out that the course "gave me the opportunity to discuss methods used and problems involved in chemistry departments in 19 other junior colleges in the United States and Mexico."

Gilbert did graduate work toward a doctorate degree at Iowa State University in Iowa City. His three courses included theories of learning, survey of current research in psychology, and selected application of statistical techniques in experimentation. He noted that 60 per cent of the class had doctorate degrees, and the remaining 40 per cent had master's degrees.

Two Y.W. Delegates Attend Conference

Jane Rucker and Linda Benton served as delegates from Joplin Junior College at the annual YWCA-YMCA Conference held June 7-13 at Estes Park, Colorado.

Both girls said that they particularly enjoyed discussions built around the theme "My Life, My Love, My World." Jane participated in the closing night program. Linda served on a committee to promote sales of the "Intercollegiate," a magazine published by the Y.W. and Y.M.

For recreation the girls climbed an 11,000-foot mountain, The Twin Sisters, making their own trail through snow.

Dear Abby-O

This column has been devised for all you cats and chicks in the J.J.C. pad. If any of you beats need like to be given advice or like need to begin swinging again, clue me in on the deal.

Dear Abby-O:

I'm miserable. I'm what's known as a real square cat and need to know how to be "beat." Any suggestions?

Square Cat

Dear Square Cat:

There's only one way. Pick on someone bigger than you.

Dear Abby-O:

Man like my chick doesn't dig my beard. No matter how I wear it, she gets mad. Can you help me?

Hairy

Dear Hairy:

Like your chick is a real gone square. As they say (Don't ask me who they are), if you can't lick them, join them. Well, like make her grow a beard!

Dear Abby-O:

Like man, my chick and I can find nothing to do. Things like golfing, shows, swimming, and playing tennis are strictly Squaresville. Help! Nothing-To-Do Dear Nothing-To-Do:

Like man, look alive, there's plenty to do. For example, try watching the street sweeper at 3 o'clock in the morning, playing chess in the middle of Main Street around noon, or going fishing for antiques in the local sewer.

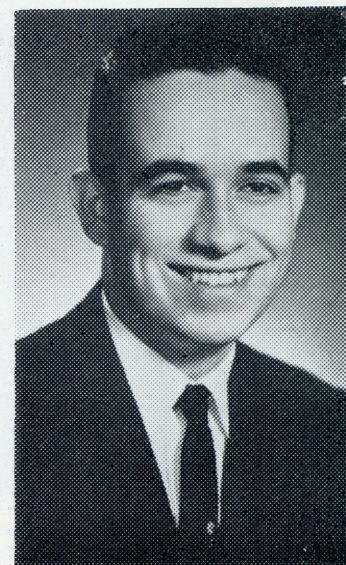
Before Abby-O knocks off this column for a while, a definition of three square terms for the more uneducated beats, has been writ:

1. Home—A square's pad.
2. Exit—Man, it's way out.
3. Phase—Something a cat or chick sees when looking in a mirror.

What's College Like?

Freshmen, if you wonder what to expect at college, try reading "College — What Will it be Like?" in the August issue of Changing Times.

The author discusses common problems students face and suggests solutions. Reading the brief article takes about 15 minutes, which is time well spent. The Periodical Room on the first floor carries Changing Times.



David Starks



Dixie Woods

Top Freshmen Win Blaine Awards

Dixie Lou Woods and David Martin Starks have won the Blaine scholarships this year, as the high-ranking girl and boy at the end of their freshman terms. Both students belong to Phi Theta Kappa and have many outside interests, including bowling.

Dixie, a medical technology major, attended high school at Southwest City, where she served on the Student Council. She also played on the girls' softball and volleyball teams. Her pastimes in-

clude sewing, cooking, and reading.

David, a pre-engineering major, spent his senior high days at Joplin Senior, where he participated in ROTC and the Superior and Talented Students Program, and was a member of the National Honor Society. In his leisure time, David enjoys collecting coins, playing chess, and taking pictures.

The Blaine awards are given annually in memory of Mr. H. E. Blaine, first Dean of the College.

Anyone May Become a Member Of New United Nations Club

The Student Senate has initiated the organization of an affiliate branch of the Collegiate Council for the United Nations on Joplin Junior College campus. The student body President will appoint a senator as executive head of the new CCUN affiliate and the organization will function as a committee of the Student Senate with membership open to all Juco students.

President Carl Gilmore has appointed Dan Hoyt, a member of the Student Cabinet, as temporary CCUN Chairman.

The Collegiate Council for the United Nations is a national student organization devoted to building informed student support for the United Nations. This accredited, non-governmental organization has over 350 college affiliates in the United States.

Its purposes are to make the Charter and the work of the U.N. known to college students; to encourage students to reach conclusions about United States policies which both promote national interest and make American leadership in the United Nations most effective; and to de-

velop a student public which takes action upon its beliefs.

Programs devised by the student CCUN Committee for the 1962-63 terms will promote the purposes of the organization, which will hold bi-monthly meetings. Plans for several projects are already under way.

The first major project will be arranging for and promoting the celebration of United Nations Day in the City of Joplin on October 24. The club will work with Mrs. Mary Kirk Kelly, political science instructor who has been asked to serve as U.N. Chairman for the city. On March 2, 1963, the club will sponsor a Model United Nations for high school delegations in the area. The last big project will be preparing a J.J.C. delegation for the Midwest Model United Nations session in St. Louis.

Students interested in becoming members of the Collegiate Council for the United Nations affiliate on this campus may seek further information from the CCUN Committee. Members include Hoyt, Gilmore, Frank Woodbury, Nancy Koos, and Richard Thompson.

The Chart

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Shown above checking their gear are three gridsmen as the Lions begin the '62 season. With two games behind them, they will face the S.M.S. second team here on Thursday, September 20. Left to right are Lanny Hopkins, Kenny Bowman, and Darrell Galbraith.

State University Invites Sophomores To Campus Oct. 13

Junior College sophomores, along with their parents and school officials, are invited to attend the fifth annual University Day October 13 on the campus of the University of Missouri.

University Day will get under way at 9:15 a.m. in Brewer Field House on Rollins Street.

YWCA Schedules Tea For Sunday Afternoon

The YWCA invites all College girls to attend a get-acquainted tea at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Y.W. residence, 504 Byers. The program will feature a solo and skit.

The first meeting of the club will be held sixth period Tuesday in Room 210. Girls who are interested may join the organization at either the tea or the meeting.

Art Cortez Receives Harold Hayes Award

Arthur Cortez has received the Harold Hayes athletic scholarship, a one-year award in memory of the student who drowned last spring. The scholarship was established at the request of Hayes' parents with money donated by Juco students for funeral flowers.

Cortez, an engineering major, was an outstanding athlete both in his years at Carthage High and Joplin Juco. He won recognition last year in football, basketball, and track. He is also vice-president of the Student Senate.

Contestants to Tryout For Cheering Squad

Girls interested in becoming cheerleaders should meet in the auditorium at 3:30 Monday, September 17 for tryouts. Miss Venus Yount, sponsor, will head the committee selecting the winners.

Football Schedule

The six remaining football games on the schedule include:

September 20 — Southwest Missouri State, "B," here.

September 27 — Wentworth Military Academy, here. (Conference)

October 4 — Highland Junior College, there.

October 11 — S.M.S., "B," there.

October 25 — Parsons Junior College, here.

November 1 — Fort Scott Junior College, here. (Conference)

On September 8 Fairbury, Nebraska, played a conference game there, and last night Joplin Juco played against Independence, Kansas, here.

Early Lions Tracks Purchase Offers Bonus To All Car Owners

Advanced sales for the student directory, The Lion's Tracks, are being stimulated by the offer of a Juco sticker, suitable for display on car windows. The Lion's Tracks and sticker cost 25¢ in advance and 35¢ when they arrive. Stickers only will be available later at 10¢ apiece.

The Lion's Tracks, being compiled by committee leaders Janice Fickle, Dan Hoyt, and Frank Woodbury, promises more information this year. It will feature a calendar of events, the constitution, and other items concerning the College besides the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all enrolled students. The 68-page "Tracks" will fulfill some functions of the student handbook which is not being published this year.

Lions Win Over Fairbury, 13-6

J.J.C. Lions routed Fairbury Junior College, 13-6, Saturday night at Fairbury, with the Lions scoring twice in the first part of the fourth quarter of the Inter-conference game.

Leonard Preddy, fullback, raced across from two yards out for the Lion's first touchdown. On a middle plunge, Arlie Burge, right halfback, scored the extra point.

Burge, a short time later, intercepted a Fairbury pass, running for a 50 yard TD. Jim Carpenter's extra point attempt failed.

With only a few minutes left in the game, Fairbury's only TD was made by Mark Ward, quarterback.

Two penalties called back two apparent would-be TD's. Burge, during the second quarter, broke loose from the Fairbury line for 60 yards, but the play was stopped by a clipping call. A holding penalty nullified Right Halfback Darrell Galbraith's break-away, minutes later, as he tripped on the Fairbury 20 yard line.

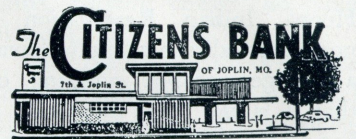
Game Statistics

	Joplin	Fairbury
First Downs	14	7
Yards Rushing	225	89
Yards Passing	0	30
Passes Attempted	4	12
Passes Completed	0	2
Passes Intercepted by	3	0
Fumbles Lost	7	4
Punts	6 for 43	8 for 35
Penalties	110	115

Successful Mixer Launches Juco Spirit

Musical entertainment, a skit, twist contests, and dancing held in the gymnasium last Wednesday night proved fun for students. Musicians were the courtesy of the Music Performance Trust Fund of the Recording Industries.

A committee headed by Dana Shaver, Ruth Bachtold, and Gayleen McKenzie planned the event. However, the entire Summer Cabinet sponsored the affair and took part in the skit.



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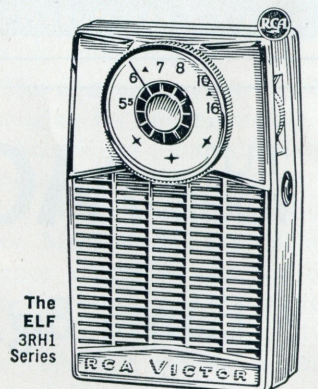
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